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Subject: microsoft settlement

I am an interested technology consumer and citizen of Washington State.
I have followed this case from Day 1, including the original consent
degree and the history leading up to the original District Court
Filings. I have read, as suggested, the documents related to the
proposed settlement, as well as all current District Court Filings and
Appeal Court Filings. I find the proposed settlement preposterous and
insulting to previous DOJ antitrust administrations, the informed
public, and myself. It fails all forms of reasonableness in light of the
District Court Finding of Facts and the Conclusions of Law, and the
unanimous Appeals Court Ruling. It also ignores the basic evidence
established throughout the history of the case, including Microsoft's
current willingness to continue past transgressions into new areas as
they attempt to extend their monopoly into new markets. I propose that
the Court throw out the proposed settlement and instill the two simple
remedies as best explained by the author of the attached article. Please
allow me to include my suggestion of proper remedies as contained in the
attached article. If this is not acceptable, please reply so I may
remove the link and author my remedy within my text. Thank you.

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